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And THE FOLLOWING MINUTES ARE A SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE. AUDIO CASSETTE TAPE OF THE ACTUAL MEETING IS AVAILABLE FOR LISTENING IN SCAG'S OFFICE.

The Energy and Environment Committee held its meeting at SCAG Offices downtown Los Angeles. The meeting was called to order by Margaret Clark, Chair, Rosemead. There was a quorum.

Members Present

Bertone, Denis SGVCOG
Brennan, Brian VCOG

Clark, Margaret (Chair) City of Rosemead

Cook, Debbie City of Huntington Beach

Eckenrode, Norman

King, Dorothy

Nelson, Larry

Van Arsdale, Lori

Washburn, Dennis (Vice Chair)

City of Placentia

Gateway Cities COG

City of Artesia

City of Hemet

City of Calabasas

Young, Toni City of Port Hueneme Zerunyan, Frank South Bay Cities COG

Members Not Present

Forester, Larry
Harrison, Jon
City of Signal Hill
City of Redlands
City of Cathedral City

Portantino, Anthony City of La Canada/Flintridge

New Members

Brennan, Brian VCOG

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1.0 CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE

Hon. Margaret Clark, Chair, Rosemead, called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

2.0 PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

None

3.0 REVIEW and PRIORITIZE

None

4.0 CONSENT CALENDAR

4.1 Approval Item

4.1.1 Action Minutes of March 3, 2005

Motion by Washburn to approve the Action Minutes, Seconded by Nelson, then Approved by the majority of the Committee.

4.2 Receive and File

4.2.1 SCAG Future Events Calendar

5.0 ACTION ITEMS

5.1 Solid Waste Conversion Technologies

Hon. Toni Young, Port Hueneme, addressed the Committee and presented the California Integrated Waste Management Board's Resolution 2005-78 regarding definitions of conversion technologies. She urged the committee to support the resolution and the related state assembly bill 1090.

Motion by Washburn to recommend that the Regional Council support the California Integrated Waste Management Board's Resolution 2005-78, Seconded by Van Arsdale, then Unanimously upheld by the Committee.

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5.2 Nomination of Regional Champion Award

Hon. Toni Young, Port Hueneme, nominated noted author Dr. Kay Martin, Vice President, BioEnergy Producers Association for her efforts relative to waste conversions.

Motion by Young to recommend that the Regional Council support with the amended title change of "Santa Ana River Watershed Groundwater Remediation Act", Seconded by Van Arsdale, then Unanimously upheld by the Committee.

6.0 INFORMATION ITEMS

None at this time

7.0 WATER POLICY TASK FORCE REPORT

Next meeting - April 14, 2005, 10a.m. to 12 noon.

8.0 CHAIR'S REPORT

None

9.0 STAFF REPORT

Alan Thompson reported on Sylvia Patsaouras' medical absence and on the Clean Cities conference. One complimentary registration provided and Committee members were urged to attend.

10.0 FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

11.0 ANNOUNCEMENTS

12.0 ADJOURNMENT

Hon. Margaret Clark adjourned meeting at 11:00 a.m. The next meeting of the Energy and Environment Committee will be held as the Los Angeles Athletic Club on Thursday, May 5, 2005.

Action Minutes Approved by:

Alan Thompson, EEC Staff Energy and Environment